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Re: Patent Application No. 09/922,304

Request is hereby made for an extension until September 18, 2004, for replying to the Office Action in this matter which was mailed March 18, 2004.

The extension is necessary to perfect the claims which were questioned by the examiner.

Very Truly Yours,

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